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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the capital projects surcharge; and amending RCW
- 2 43.01.090.

State of Washington

- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.01.090 and 1998 c 105 s 5 are each amended to read 5 as follows:
- 6 The director of general administration may assess a charge or rent
- 7 against each state board, commission, agency, office, department,
- 8 activity, or other occupant or user for payment of a proportionate
- 9 share of costs for occupancy of buildings, structures, or facilities
- 10 including but not limited to all costs of acquiring, constructing,
- 11 operating, and maintaining such buildings, structures, or facilities
- 12 and the repair, remodeling, or furnishing thereof and for the rendering
- 13 of any service or the furnishing or providing of any supplies,
- 14 equipment, or materials.
- 15 The director of general administration may recover the full costs
- 16 including appropriate overhead charges of the foregoing by periodic
- 17 billings as determined by the director including but not limited to
- 18 transfers upon accounts and advancements into the general
- 19 administration services account. Charges related to the rendering of

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real estate services under RCW 43.82.010 and to the operation of 1 nonassigned public spaces in Thurston county shall be allocated 2 3 separately from other charges assessed under this section. Rates shall 4 be established by the director of general administration after consultation with the director of financial management. The director 5 of general administration may allot, provide, or furnish any of such 6 7 facilities, structures, services, equipment, supplies, or materials to 8 any other public service type occupant or user at such rates or charges 9 as are equitable and reasonably reflect the actual costs of the 10 services provided: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That the legislature, its duly constituted committees, interim committees and other committees shall 11 be exempted from the provisions of this section. 12

Upon receipt of such bill, each entity, occupant, or user shall cause a warrant or check in the amount thereof to be drawn in favor of the department of general administration which shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the general administration services account unless the director of financial management has authorized another method for payment of costs.

Beginning July 1, 1995, the director of general administration shall assess a capital projects surcharge upon each agency or other user occupying a facility owned and managed by the department of general administration in Thurston county. The capital projects surcharge does not apply to agencies or users that agree to pay all future repairs, improvements, and renovations to the buildings they occupy and a proportional share, as determined by the office of financial management, of all other campus repairs, installations, improvements, and renovations that provide a benefit to the buildings they occupy or that have an agreement with the department of general administration that contains a charge for a similar purpose, including but not limited to RCW 43.01.091, in an amount greater than the capital projects surcharge. Beginning July 1, 2002, the capital projects surcharge does not apply to department of services for the blind vendors who operate cafeteria services in facilities owned and managed by the department of general administration; the department shall consider this space to be a common area for purposes of allocating the capital projects surcharge. The director, after consultation with the director of financial management, shall adopt differential capital project surcharge rates to reflect the differences in facility type and quality. The initial payment structure for this surcharge shall be one

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38 39 dollar per square foot per year. The surcharge shall increase over time to an amount that when combined with the facilities and service charge equals the market rate for similar types of lease space in the area or equals five dollars per square foot per year, whichever is less. The capital projects surcharge shall be in addition to other charges assessed under this section. Proceeds from the capital projects surcharge shall be deposited into the Thurston county capital facilities account created in RCW 43.19.501.

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